

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR TRANSFERRING A MULTISTATE BAR EXAMINATION (MBE) SCALED SCORE**

1. An applicant may transfer a July 2006, February 2006, July 2005, or February 2005 MBE scaled score to Connecticut. The election to use a prior score or to sit for the concurrent MBE must be made prior to the examination. Thus an applicant cannot elect to use a July 2006 MBE score and then opt to use a prior MBE score after the examination. Also, to be acceptable, the score must have been taken as a part of a bona fide bar examination in the other jurisdiction. **Be sure you request the transfer of your MBE score not later than 01 July 2006.**

2. (a) You only have to complete one transfer form. For example, if you use the NCBE on-line MBE transfer service to transfer your New York July 2006 score to Connecticut, you do not have to submit Form 46. (b) If you are using a prior score obtained in Connecticut, you do not have to complete a transfer form. (c) If you have previously transferred your MBE score in connection with a prior Connecticut exam, you do not have to transfer the score again, but please let us know that your score is already on file.

3. You must be sure that the Connecticut Bar Examining Committee will receive your score by **31 August 2006**. Article V-7(B) makes this your responsibility and you should check with the transferring jurisdiction to ascertain their policies. In the past Florida has not been able to meet the Committee's deadline. From any other jurisdiction you are advised to obtain a written commitment that your score will be transferred by them in time to meet the Committee's deadline. The Bar Examining Committee will attempt to obtain your score, but if the transferring jurisdiction will not transfer your score by 31 August 2006, you will receive a "0" on the MBE and will fail the bar examination in Connecticut.

4. Please note that some jurisdictions will not permit the Bar Examining Committee to release your MBE score to you and/or will not provide you with your MBE score. Without this information the Committee believes that an applicant cannot make an informed choice regarding transfer of his/her MBE score. Your election to transfer an MBE score without knowing that score is at your own risk.

5. Complete Question #12 on the application relating to transfer of MBE scores. There are several different forms/methods for transferring an MBE score to Connecticut. Please use the correct form/method as indicated below:

**Option 1** - July 2006 MBE from New Hampshire, New York or Maryland- use NCBE on-line transfer service: [www.ncbex.org/tests/mbe/transfer\\_explanation.htm](http://www.ncbex.org/tests/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm). Send a photocopy of your confirmation to the Bar Examining Committee.

**Option 2** - July 2006 MBE from Alabama, Arizona, California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Delaware, Florida, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, South Dakota, Utah, Virgin Islands, or Wyoming - use NCBE on-line transfer service: [www.ncbex.org/tests/mbe/transfer\\_explanation.htm](http://www.ncbex.org/tests/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm). Send a photocopy of your confirmation to the Bar Examining Committee. (Note: it may not be possible to sit concurrently in all these jurisdictions. They are listed here because NCBE handles the transfer of their MBE scores.)

**Option 3** - July 2006 or prior MBE from Virginia - form available from Virginia. Send a photocopy of your completed form to the Bar Examining Committee.

**Option 4** – July 2006 or prior MBE from Pennsylvania - form available from Pennsylvania. Send a photocopy of your completed form to the Bar Examining Committee.

**Option 5** – July 2006 or prior MBE from Rhode Island – form available from Rhode Island. Send a photocopy of your completed form to the Bar Examining Committee.

**Option 6** - July 2006 MBE from all other jurisdictions - use CBEC Form 46. Send Form 46 and any applicable fee to the Connecticut Bar Examining Committee with your application.

**Option 7** - Prior MBE from Alabama, Arizona, California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Delaware, Florida, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, New Jersey, New York, South Dakota, Utah, Virgin Islands or Wyoming - use NCBE on-line transfer service: [www.ncbex.org/tests/mbe/transfer\\_explanation.htm](http://www.ncbex.org/tests/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm). Send a photocopy of your confirmation to the Bar Examining Committee.

**Option 8** – Prior MBE from Massachusetts – form available from Massachusetts. Send a photocopy of your completed form to the Bar Examining Committee.

**Option 9** - Prior MBE from all other jurisdictions - CBEC Form 46. Send Form 46 and any applicable fee to the Connecticut Bar Examining Committee with your application.

### July 2006 – MBE Transfer Form Chart

MBE Transfer to Connecticut				
Type	From	Form	Fee	Notes
Concurrent (7/06)	NY, MD, NH	NCBE	\$25	Form available at: <a href="http://www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm">www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm</a> . Send a copy of form to CBEC with your application.
	AL, AZ, CA, CO, DC, DE, FL, HI, IL, IN, KS, KY, MN, MO, MT, SD, UT, VI, WY *	NCBE	\$25	Form available at: <a href="http://www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm">www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm</a> . Send a copy of form to CBEC with your application.
	VA	VA form	??	Fee and form to VA. Send a copy of form to CBEC with your application.
	PA	PA form	\$40	Fee and form to PA. Send a copy of form to CBEC with your application.
	RI	RI form	\$25	Fee and form to RI. Send a copy of form to CBEC With your application
	All others	46	Varies	Consult with jurisdiction. Fee payable to jurisdiction. Send form and fee to CBEC with your application.
Prior (7/04 – 2/06)	AL, AZ, CA, CO, DC, DE, FL, HI, IL, IN, KS, KY, MD, MN, MO, MT, NJ, NY, SD, UT, VI, WY.	NCBE	\$25	Form available at: <a href="http://www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm">www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm</a> . Send a copy of form to CBEC with your application.
	MA	MA Form	\$25	Fee and form to MA. Send a copy of form to CBEC with your application.
	PA	PA form	\$25	Fee and form to PA. Send a copy of form to CBEC with your application.
	RI	RI form	\$25	Fee and form to RI. Send a copy of form to CBEC With your application
	VA	VA form	??	Fee and form to VA. Send a copy of form to CBEC with your application.
	All others	46	Varies	Consult with jurisdiction. Fee payable to jurisdiction. Send form and fee to CBEC with your application.

MBE Transfer from Connecticut				
Type	To	Form	Fee	Notes
Concurrent (7/06)*	MA, ME, MD, NH, NJ, NY	NCBE	\$25	Form available at: <a href="http://www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm">www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm</a> .
	All others	NCBE	\$25	Form available at: <a href="http://www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm">www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm</a> .
Prior – 7/98 – 2/06**	All	NCBE	\$25	Form available at: <a href="http://www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm">www.ncbex.org/test/mbe/transfer_explanation.htm</a> .
Prior – Before 7/98**	All	From jurisdiction	\$10	Certified Check or Money Order payable to CBEC. Send form and fee to CBEC.

**\* It may not be possible to actually sit concurrently for all these jurisdictions. The jurisdictions are listed because they use the specified NCBE form to transfer scores. \*\*NCBE transfers scores that are less than seven years old.**